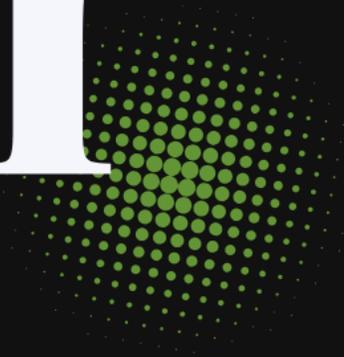
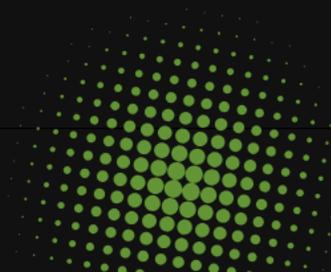
A vintage letter scene set on a piece of aged, yellowed paper with torn edges, resting on a dark wooden surface. In the top left corner, there is a small, round, light-colored inkwell filled with dark ink. On the right side, a black quill pen with a silver-colored ferrule and nib lies diagonally. Below the quill, a red wax seal is attached to a piece of dark string. The text "A Letter from James" is centered on the paper in a black serif font.

A Letter from
James

The Power of
Prayer



James 5:13 Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them **pray**. Is anyone happy? Let them sing songs of **praise**. 14 Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to **pray** over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. 15 And the **prayer** offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up. If they have *sinned*, they will be forgiven. 16 Therefore *confess your sins* to each other and **pray** for each other so that you may be healed. The **prayer** of a righteous person is powerful and effective.”



17 Elijah was a human being, even as we are. He **prayed** earnestly that it would not rain, and it did not rain on the land for three and a half years. 18 Again he **prayed**, and the heavens gave rain, and the earth produced its crops. 19 My brothers and sisters, if one of you should wander from the **truth** and someone should bring that person back, 20 remember this: Whoever turns a *sinner* from the error of their way will save them from death and cover over a multitude of *sins*.”



A close-up photograph of a camel's legs standing on sand dunes in a desert at sunset. The camel's legs are the central focus, showing the joints and the texture of its skin. The background consists of rolling sand dunes under a warm, orange sky. The overall mood is serene and contemplative.

James says to pray...

When you are
suffering

When you are
happy

When you are
sick

When you are in
sin

When someone has
wondered from the
truth

Why Pray?

Prayer, Worship, and God's Word Connects us to God

Unconfessed sin disrupts
our prayer life and makes us

Weak





How Elijah Prayed

He prayed the God of Israel would be known as the one true God!

He prayed that he would be recognized as God's servant.

He prayed the people would turn back to God.

I Kings: 18:36-37



A.S.K

Ask, Seek, Knock

Pray for this church and others Feb 1- March 1

**Pray for opportunities
to represent God**

**Pray for friends and
family to know Jesus**

**Pray for friends and family
to turn back to God.**

“Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.”

James 1:22 NIV

